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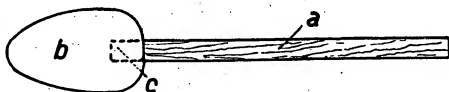
maybe a straw
for drinking
or wood

Fig. 1



c - sugar, dissolves
in liquid as you stir the
liquid.

Fig. 2



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Improvements in Tea and like Spoons.

I, HEINRICH LANDSBERG, of 1, Kumpchenshof, Cologne, Germany, a German citizen, do hereby declare the nature of this invention and in what manner the same is to be performed, to be particularly described and ascertained in and by the following statement:—

This invention relates to a spoon for use with coffee, tea, cocoa and other drinks which are sweetened by the consumer, and the invention consists in forming the bowl of the spoon out of sugar and the handle out of material which does not dissolve in the liquid, the bowl being adapted to supply the sweetening for the beverage.

The object of this arrangement is principally to save restaurants, coffee stalls and the like from keeping and cleaning a stock of permanent spoons and sugar dishes, while the sugar can be supplied in this manner more hygienically than otherwise.

Fig. 1 of the accompanying drawings represents a longitudinal section of the spoon, and

Fig. 2 a top view of the same.

The spoon according to the invention comprises a bowl *b* composed of sugar and a handle *a* made of a material which does not dissolve in the liquid, the end *c* of the handle being embedded in the bowl so as to adhere to the same and allow the spoon to be used for sipping the drink and for stirring it until the sugar is dissolved. The handle may be made of wood or other suitable material. For use with lemonades it may consist of

a straw through which the drink may be imbibed after the sugar has dissolved. 40

The spoon may be supplied in tightly closed bags or envelopes which, like the spoon handle, may be printed with advertisements.

Even in small families advantage will accrue out of the use of the spoon, and ramblers will find it particularly useful.

I am aware that it has been proposed to make spoons, for use in eating ice cream, wholly or partly out of edible material, and also to attach to a hollow edible body filled with ice cream or the like, a tubular stem through which the contents can be sucked out of the body before the latter is consumed. Neither 55 of these arrangements, to which I make no claim, meets the object of the present invention, which is to provide a spoon adapted to supply all the sweetening required for the particular beverage. 60

Having now particularly described and ascertained the nature of my said invention and in what manner the same is to be performed, I declare that what I claim is:— 65

A tea or like spoon having a bowl made of sugar and a handle made of a material which does not dissolve in the liquid, the bowl being adapted to supply the sweetening for the beverage. 70

Dated this 22nd day of July, 1927.

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